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The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamship by me, under the mannegement and supportation. COMPANY, LIMITED. SUBSCRIBEDCAPITAL 5,000,000 of Dollars GAPITAL, DOELARS 1,250,000, IN 250 lug. 20, Hangier, Brit. bk., 528, Burchell, SHARES OF \$5,000 EACH. Court of Directors:-Queen's Road, on Bungkok 9th August, 12,791 piculs PAID UP CAPITAL, DOLLARS 250,000, Chairman-H. B. LEMANN, Esq. Rice. -- BORNEO Co. LIMITED. Deputy Chairman—Horner, R. Rowett.
S. R. Belikos, Esq. Julius Manke, Esq.
George F. Heard, Esq. Thomas Pyke, Esq.
ticorge J. Helland, Esq. S. D. Jassom, Esq.
A. Joost, Esq. OR DOLLARS I 900 PER SHARE. Aug. 20, Aunt Lizzie, Brit. bk., 536, Proc. tor, Yokohama 21st July, Bullast -Provisional Committee :-CARLOWITE & Co. Honomble H. B. Ginn, of Messre. Gibb, Li-Aug 20, ELIZABETH HENDERSON, Brit. bg., vingston & Co., Chairman. Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at Hongkong-Victor Kreiner, Esq., 288, Gibb, Bangkok 8th August, Rico. Honorable W. KESWICK, of Measure, Jardine, Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent, per dence of Mr. Junalistor Jainaz, who is annum will be charged upon all calls paid after authorized to sign my name and firm.

REHEMOOBHOY HABIBBHOY. Sapanwood and Hides - ORDER. Matheson & Clo. Chief Manager.
Shanghai—David MoLean, Esq. purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. 1533 Hongkong, 20th August, 1870. E. A. HITCHCOOR, Esq., of Mesers. Olyphant. "AWATTO" Aug. 20, Rowa, Brit. str., 874, Hutchison, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival of the next English Mail.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Canton 20th August, Goveral,-WM. Condon Bankers-London and County Bank. S. D. SASSOON, Esq., of Mesers: David Fassoon, The Transfer Books of the Company will be PUBLIC AUCTIONS 1m 1494 Hongkong, 10th August, 1870, PUSTAU & Co. rone & Co. closed from the 15th to the 22nd day of August Aug. 20, Sultan, Brit. bk., 520, Richardson, HONGKONG. DURING my absence from the Colony Mr. ROBERT LYALL will conduct my busi-P. & O. S. N. Co. & Office. G J. HELLAND, Esq., of Messaw. John Burd bot a days inclusive. Singapore 8th August, General, -THOS. NTEREST ALLOWED. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have re-Hougkone, 22nd August. 1870. coived instructions to sell by Public On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of H. B LEMANN, Esq., of Messrs. Gilman & Co. ness, and sign for me per procuration FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW N. J. EDE. per cent, per annum on the daily balance. Auotion, un Aug. 20, Moonlight, Siam, ship, 640, Jor-THOMAS PYKE, Esq. of Mesers. Birley & Co.
Directors of the Society 1668-1870. EDW. NORTON. THE Steamer On Fixed Deposits: FRIDAY. gensen, Baugkok 10th August, 15,000 tf. 1524 Hougkong, 17th August, 1870. 38d 1342 15th July, 1870. For 3 months' 2 per cent. per unnum the 26th August, at 11 o'clock A M. Mesers. Russmir & Co. s Godown, Praya .picule Rice .- CHINESE. VIOTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN: T a General Meeting held on Monday, the Aug. 20, Firme Fren, Siam. bk., 302, Dur. Cant Ashton, will leave for the above ports 99 BRONZE CANNON, of different sizes OF HONGKONG, LIMITED. THE partnership heretofore existing between 11. lat August, 1870, the undermentioned sen, Bangkok lat August, Rice, Cur-TO-MORROW, the 23rd inst., at 4 r.m. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED and calibres. REHEMOOBHOT HABIABHOY and ARMED-Resolutions were passed relative to the con-TERMS OF SALE.—Cush on delivery in Mexi-an dellars weighed at 7.1.7. Por Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS Oredita-granted on approved Scomitics, and BUOY HABIBUHOY is dissolved by mutual conevery description of Banking and Exchange three years from the 1st January, 1871, and Aug. 20, Magnata, Brit. str., 539, Davidson, 1529 . Hongkong, 19th August, 1870. 2d 1537 Hongkong, 22nd August, 1870. Shanghai 15th August, Tea and Silk -THE Shareholders are reminded that in ac-R. HABIBBHOY. notice is hereby given that applications for Drafts—granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

America, China and Japan.

VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manayer.

Applications, Inc. above that applications for shares in the new Society in the following form will be received at its Offices until 30th November, 1870.

Applications, Inc. above the property of the shares from Persons, noncordance with the S5th Clause of the FOR SHANGHAL Hougkong, 10th August, 1870. GILMAN & Co. Articles of Association of the Company, the THE Steamer Aug. 21, Buntington, Brit. bk., 485, Sach-FOR SALE AT FOOCHOW. WITH reference to the above, the under-signed bega to give notice that he will carry on the business as heretofore in the old the Second Call of Fifty Dollars per share will be payable on the First day of September, at sze, Saigon 15th August, Rice and Cot--"ABBOTSFORD." plications for shares from Persons. ton.-CHINESE. business of the late THOMAS THOMPSON. Offices of the Corporation, Capt. Mann, will have quick disputch as above. the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corresident in Hongkoug must be accompanied by No. 1, Queen's Road East Premises of R. HABIBBHOY under the style or Aug. 21, Tchian-REE, Siam. bk., 109, Pio At Fraction-the property consists of :-For Freight or Passage, apply to a Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign che, Saigon 2nd August, Rice. - CHIfirm of Aumenbuor Habibbuor, and that Hongkong, 23rd July, 1870 A nine roomed House, at the lower part of Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum JOHN BURD & Co. the Articles of Association on their behalf, and the settlement, now tenanted as an Ice Manu. per annum will be charged on all Calls paid Mr. BYRAMJEE JEEWANJEE is authorized to tf 1538. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1870. generally to represent them in all matters con-nected with the Society. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE factory, and formerly known; as the "Com-Aug. 21, Formosa, Brit. str., 710, Hockin AHMEDBHOY HABIBBHOY. Foochow 18th August, Amoy, 19th, and mercial Hotel." The Transfer Books of the Company will be COMPANY, LIMITED. TEITHER the Captain nor the Consignees of the ship Clarendon will be responsible By order of the Provincentl Committee, 1ut 1485 Hongkong, 10th August, 1876. closed from the 24th to the 31st August, both And on Pagoda Island-Swatow 20th, General. - P. & O. Co. Large and Substantial House and Store ADJUSTMENT OF BORUS FOR THE YEAR 1869. for any Debt or Debts contricted by the Crew Aug. 21, Sunshine, Brit. str. 500, Buchan; Premises, Godowns with Storage for 2000 Tons. By order of the Board of Directors Hongkong, 5th Angust: 1870. MR. SAMUEL JOHN GOWER and Mr. HENRY MURRAY are authorized to of the said ship, during their stay here in the Foochow 18th August, Amoy 19th, and Two private Residences and Garden Ground. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., CHAREHOLDERS in the above Compan Swatow 20th, General. -D. LAPEAGE & are requested to furnish the undersigned FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES, To Storekeepers.—A coal-trade is cumbined with the Store; also Water and Ballust Boats; 37d 1393 Hongkong, 26th July, 1770: THOMAS DAVIS. ign our firm in China from this dute. with a list of their contributions for the year No. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. To the Provisional Committee of the the Business has been favorably known for Aug. 21, VARUNA, North Ger. bk., 488, Loending flat December last, in order that the YANGISZE INSURANCE: ASSOCIATION Iw 1541 Hongkong, 22nd August, 1870. 1m 1435. Hongkong, 1st August. 1870. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF distribution of 20% of the nett Profits reserved many years, and is now in regular working renzen, Saigon 14th August, 11;500 OF SHANGHAL. for contributors may be arranged.

Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October next will be adjusted by the Company, and CANTON, 1871-1673. NOTICE: piculs Rice .- War. Pustav & Co. THE HOUSE on Caine Road, lately occupied WE have this day closed our business i To Capitalists.—This property has extensive river frontage, ample room for improvements, DIVIDEND of 12 % (Twelve per cent.) Aug. 21, Nile, Brit. brig. 164, Walker. hereby request that you will allot to by C: BERTRAND, Esq., Agent of the 1 barbeen declared on the net premis con Messageries Imperiales.

The house is currounded by a fine Garden, in the Eastern Corner of which is a nice Croquet. Salgon 12th August, 3,650 piculs. Rice | no claims or alterations will be subsequently shares in the above Society und agree and is without exception the very best situatributed to the above Association for the year accept such shares or any less number you liou at the anchorage for Bonded Ware Houses, and 100 picula Fish -CARTAIN. if 1200 Hongkong, 6th July, 1870. ending 30th Semtember, 1869. may allot to, and agree to pay the first call of Dollars 1,000 per share, and all subsequent calls, and to subscribe the Articles of or a Steam Packet Agency. POLICY_HOLDERS will please send i JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Departures. AR. WILLIAM HENRY MOORE and ME. The fullest information on application to particulars of their contributions to that date. Stubles and a spasious Coach House on the W 1296 Hongkong, 8th July, 1870. M. E. THOMPSON, Orro FRIEDEICH, bave this day been to the Undersigned. Aug. 20, Azor, str., for East Coast. association who never required to do so, HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO promises. Sole Executrix. RUSSELL & Co., LAMMERT. ATKINSON & Co. Aug. 20, GLENARTNEY, str., for Singapore For particulars, apply to GEORGE J. HELLAND. Gentiemen. STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. Your obedient ervant, ANE, CRAWFORD, & Co. have received and Calcutta. tf 1258 Hongkong, 30th June, 1870. tf 590 . Hongkong, 26th March, 1870. instructions from W. H. FORBES, Esq., Aug. 20, HINDOSTAN, str., for Singapore and 1w 1542 Hongkong, 22nd August, 1870. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. HAVE this day Established myself at this HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK to offer for private Sale, FOR HALE. Calcutta. A Gentleman's Riding HORSE, Printed forms of application for shares can COMPANY, LIMITED. Aug. 20, Evz, for Saigon. HE Dividend at the rate of 16% per appum. Port, under the style or firm of DENT & be obtained at the Office of the Society. A Lady's Riding AORSE. or \$6 per share, declared at the Ordinary TO LET. Aug 20, Young GEREK, for Bangkok. .. Cu., on the premises occupied by my late firm.
JOHN DENT. I TNTIL further notice, the Company are Both Arabe, young and perfectly sound. THE PREMISES, now occupied by Mesers. Half-yearly Meeting of Shareholders, held this Aug. 20, GOLDEN AGE, Le Vancouver's Is tf 1271 Hongkong, 4th July, 1870. RESOLUTION'S BEFFWERD TO ABOVE. prepared to tow Vessels to and from lay, will be payable ut the Honggond AND Dobie & Co., at Pagoda Anthorage, Foo-6m 1191 Shanghai, 13th June, 1870. Whampon, and remetal them in their Stone Res. I.-That a new Soc ty be formed bearing HONGKUNG AND SHANGHAI BANKING SHANGRAL BANKING CORPORATION OD and chow. The above comprise a Dwelling-house Aug. 20, CALTPRO, for Zebu. the same title as the present one, to com-incide business on the 1st January, 1871, Docks (with Caisoon gates), at AR. S. W. POMEROY, Jr., is authorized after Wednesday next, the 20th instant. Churcwith three Godowns of 1200 Tons capacity. CORPORATION. (40) FORTY CENTS PER SHEET. VI to sign our firm, per procuration, at Aug. 20, GLENLYON, for San Francisco. holders are requested to upply at the office of the Company for Warrants. The whole property having a water frontage of about 300 feet. and terminate on the 31st December, 1873, By Order, Aug. 21, Magnatta, str., for Singapore, &c. Hougkong. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. G. N. MINTO, For further particulars, apply to HEDGE & Co. the Capital, amount to be paid up, and the Aug. 21, HIPPARCHUS, str., for Singapore &c. RUSSELL & Co. . By order of the Board of Directors, number of shares to be the same as the tf 1150 - Hongkong, 17th June, 1870. THE DIVIDEND declared for the balf year AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. present Society, and the Articles of Asso-ciation to be similar as far as regards the tf 663 Hongkong, 7th April, 1870. ended 30th June last, at the rate of Twelve 1m 1545 Foocbow, 17th Appust, 1870. General Agents. NOTICE. Clearances. per cent, per annum, say 7.50 per paid-up share of \$125, and \$3 per Share on which \$50 have been paid, is payable on and after THURSDAY, the 18th instant, at the Officer CHINA AND JAPAN MARINE MR. ARTHUR WELLESLEY WALKIN-SHAW was admitted a partner in our tf 1348 Hongkong, 16th July, 1870. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK more important danses. INSURANCE COMPANY. AT THE HARROUR MARRIED OFFICE. FOR SALE. COMPANY, LIMITED. Res. II.—That the present Board of Directors, shall not as a Provisional Committee for Firm on the lat of January last. AUGUST 20TH. THIS Company grants Policies on Marino Risks at the established local Bates, to SECOND-HAND Extra Grand Trichord NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS the purpose of organizing the new Society, Hipparchus, atr., for Singapore, &c. of the Corporation, where Shareholders are tf. 522 Hongkong, 10th March: 1870. FIANO: FORTE, built by Collard and registoring the Articles of Association, and allotting the shares, and that when a Low, for Guarn. requested to apply for Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors, all parts of the World. Collard expressly for this climate, in very THE Dividend declared for the Half-Year. Comet, for Chefou. In addition to the usual brokerage, thirt good order, with a complete set of new Strings, FR. W. SCOTT FITZ is this day admitted At the rate of Eight percent, per Annum. sufficient number of shares are allotted, the per Cent (30%) of the Profits will be returned Nesutan, for Whaterwa. VICTOR KRESSER. then Shureholders shall be asked to elect will be payable at the Hougkong and Shanghai a partner in our firm. Mr. B. S. DANA as Bonus to all contributors of business, who-Chief Manager. Also, a second-hand Square PIANO FORTE, in Bose Wood Case, by Broadwood, in very Bank on and after the 24th inst. Dividend Deur Squure, for Saigon. their own Directors, who will also take over retires, his interest censing on the 31st Decemther Shareholders or not, reteably in proportion tf 1508 Hongkong, 15th August, 1870. warrants must be obtained from the Secretary. the affairs of the present Society for the to the amount of Net Premis contributed. good order, with Cover. Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. at the Office of the Company, Club Chambers, on and after the 23rd inst. Passengers. RUSSELL & Co. purpose of winding up its business. [1458 No Policy Fees charged. THE LONDON & OHINA HERALD being tf 68 China, 1st January, 1870. THE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE I now incorporated with the "Overland Mad," subscribers will reneive that paper in future. The "Daily Press Office" will continue to act as agents.

If Hougkong, 9th August, 1870. WM. PUSTAU & Co., Per Sunshins, str., from East Coast, — Capt. Templer, 3 European deck, and 60 tf 1052 Hongkong, 7th Jone, 1870. COMPANT LIMITED NOTICE. NOW BEADY. AR THOMAS H. DE SILVER is admitted tf 1402 Hongkong, 27th July, 1870. REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANY October, 1869. Per Firmosa, str., from East Coast,-Im 1534 Hongkong, 20th August, 1870. Sectord and Revised Edition ORDINANCE, No. 1, OF 1865. 2 European prisoners from Foochow, 6 Euro-pean deck and 10 Chinese. A BOSE. L. FRICKEL & Co. FOR BALE THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Mesers, J. A. R. Ten-"ROYAL VISIT BOOK," PAIR of Handsome Black Timor PONIES Directors :tf 2002 Mongkong, 21st October, 1869, HAUT BRION. Per Varuna, from Saigon,llustrated by a Portrait of His Boysl Highness A are a good match, gentle, and well broken The Honble, H. B. GIBB, of Mesers, Gibl 5 Chinese. The Duke of Edinburgh (taken in Hongkong). BONNES COTES. to either single or double harness. Livingston & Co., (Chairman). -MR. H. H. WARDEN is admitted a partner in our firm from this date. Per Nile, from Saigon,and by Photographs of Scenes and Incidents of nent, Glasgow, and Meesre. David Commer & Sons For further particulars, Address X Daily J. B. TAYLOR, Esq., of Measer, Smith, Archer MARGAUX. 30 Chinese. the Prince's Visit to Hongkong. Press Office.
if 1581 Hongkong, 20th August, 1870. Per Hennist, from Bangkok,-RUSSELL & Co. ST. ESTEPHE. ABNHOLD, KARBERG & Uo. PRICE \$5, PER COPY. E. A. HITCHCOOK, Esq., of Messra Olyphant A Dr. and Miss Dean and native servent, Mrs. tf 2311 China, lat December, 1869; In compliance with a general wish expressed tf 419 Houghong, Jarnary, 1867 Partridge, Miss Partridge and 2 Ohinese. IJANTED by a Young man from Scotland to the Compiler that the work should take a MACG. HEATON, Esq., of Messra. Douglas. JOHANNISBERGER. NOTICE. FOR SALE. Per Moonlight, from Bangkok,— 25 Chinese, Y a situation, as Olerk or under Bookmore permanent form, this Edition is leaved in I HAVE this day established myself as a keeper. Lapraik & Co. Address Scotomean, Daily Press Ex late Arrivale. HOOKHEIMER: a suitable binding. A photograph of S. John's EDWD. ARTHUR, Esq., of The Chartered Mer-Cathedral has also been added. cantile Bank of India, London and China. A LL kinds of Copper SIDELIGHTS, Must-bend DANTERNS and Globe LAN-Public Accountant, Average Adjuster, STEINWEIN. and General Commission Agent. 8d 1527 Hongkong, 10th August, 1870. Reports, NORONHA & SONS. Champagnes. O. LANGDON DAVIES. WANTED by a first-class Cook, a situation as such, or first-class Weiter in a re-The master of the Siam brig Tchien-kes, re-Tovernment Printers. HEAD OFFICE AT HONGKONG. GRINDSTONES, from I feet to 4 foots tf 1243 Honekong, 1st July, 1868. HEIDSIECK'S VIN ROYAL ports that the crew and passengers have been in revolt more than once during the passage, a PHCENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. 1m 1386 Hongkong, 16th July, 1870. Best Canvas HOSE, all sizes. NOTICE spectable family. Address T. D. D. Doily Bress KRUG. Secretary .do. Leather do. Suction and India Rubber ROSE, all sizes. WE have this day established a branch of Office. 6d 15 DE LOSSY. N. J. EDE, I mamon being the muster spirit of mischief The British bark Burlington reports fine monsoon; after the Macclesfield Bank squally Port, are prepared to grant Policies against with rain, wind hauling to the Westward in the Eirs to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or 6d 1528 Hongkong, 19th August, 1870. Belting LEATHER. DUC DE MONTEBELLO The business at our Agencies in Tientain, Fire GRATES. VENDRE Kinking and Ningpo, will hereafter be con-DE VENOGE & CO. THE CHARTERED MERCASTILE BANK OF Wire ROPE, from 1 to 45 in.
Side and Deck LIGHTS, with Brace France. ducted in the name of our firm by our rocog-TYINS D'EQUIPAGE. INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA. nized Agents in charge. Copper Boat NAILS and Copper RIVETS, HUILES D'OLIVES. on Goods stored therein. ONE STAR. Agents .-COGNACS DOUGLAS LAPBAIK & Co. tf 182 Ching, lat January, 1870. -Swatow. Messre. BRADLEY & Co. The North German bark Varung reports Brage Sunk Flueb BOLTS. ONE GRAPE. P. & P. DERODE FREEES. tf 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868. moderate monsoon until Paracels, then varindo. and Iron Barrel doc All kinds of MORTICE and other Door ELLES & Co. Im 1515 Hongkong, 17th August, 1870. TWO COMET. M.R. FRITZ RAPP has been duly an LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE ble Westerly winds, squally, with much rain OLYPHANT & Co. VI thorized to sign our firm, per procura-MILLAR & CO. THREE COMET. INSURANCE COMPANY. until off the Ladrones. DAVIDSON & Co. LOUKS, with Furniture. tion, from this date. HOUSE, SHIP, AND STEAMBOAT Brass Cabin HOOKS, all sizes MALTESE CROSS. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & C F. BLAOKHEAD & Co. The British brig Nile reports with the excep-THE Undersigned having been appointed PLUMBERS. Kiukiang. FILES, of all kind up to 16 in. Brass SUREWS, all sizes, IL FRANCIS & Co. tf 1166 Hongkong, 11th June, 1869. COPPERSMITHS AND BRASSFOUNDERS. MANZANILLA, very dry. Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or tion of the 16th and 17th, when the monecon Hankow, GIBB, LIVINGETON & Co. QUEEN'S ROAD EAST AND NULLAR LANE, VINO DO PASTO. veered to the N. of W., with squally weather and much min, experienced fine fresh monsoon AR. WALTER HYDE NOTLEY Las been PERCUSSON & Co. At L FRICKEL & Co. tf 600 Hongkong, 29th March, 1876. this day admitted a partner in our firm.

ROBERT S. WALKER L Co. Nugasaki. ALT & Co. BROWN. lw 1517 Hongkong, 17th August, 1870. on Goods stored therein. Yokobama, SMITH, ARCHER & Co. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 718 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868, WANTED. Kobe, HROWNE & Co... HAUSCHILD & SERNSEN. If 874 Hongkong, 11th May, 1870. Notices to Consignees. FOUR or Siz-roomed HOUSE with out ONE, TWO, AND THREE CROWN The British bark Aunt Lissie reports fine weather and light winds so far as Pulo Obi, FOR SALE, at No. 213, Queen's Boad East.
40 tons of Pig IRON, 3000 Boiler
TUBES, 2 in. to 34 in., advancing by a 1, Loo houses, and if possible Stuble attached. Singapore, ANDRESEN'S. GILFILLAN, WOOD & Co. THE LIVERPOOL AND BOMBAY Address, a sting terms, H., care of this paper. tf 1509 Hongkong, 16th August, 1870. FROM CALCUTTA. then strong monsoon until Macelesfield Bank TRADERS' INSURANCE A. A. ANTHONY & Co. THE B. L. S. N. Co.'s steamer Coringa, Capt. Brandies. then very squally weather from W. to N.W. much rain and generally unsettled appearance until sighting the Ladrones, then fine weather. COMPANY. HANNA, Enq. Hansard, having arrived from the above Port, Consignees of Cargo by her are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for Countersignature, and to take Moor Iron of sizes and thicknesses. Sheet FORT OF AMOY. EXSHAW'S. Copper Rivets, &c. The Siam bark Cutty Sark reports found the port, are prepared to grant Policies against pats was passed on the 13th the THE undersigned having been appointed THE Company having been established, with HENNESSY'S. . and . . S. SPEECHLY. its Hoad Office at Hongkong and Agencies: CHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and CONat the several places mentioned above, accepts risks and issues. Policies of Insurance at the MANDERS are informed that the Dock JULES ROBIN'S. Im 1394 Hongkong, 27th July, 1870. immediate delivery of their Goods. COMPANT'S ESTABLISHMENTS at the above ASSOCIATED VINEYARD CO.'S. Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer will be landed and stored at Consignees risk Port afford every facility, at moderate charges, HONGKONG STEAM BAKERY pats was passed on the 13th then fresh mon rates of Premium current at the respective OTARD DUPUY & CO. S. doon until Macclesfield was passed on the 16th ... Office - Opposite the Oriental Bank. tf 777 Hongkong, 25th April, 1870. and expense. Whiskies. since that time the weather was thick squally REPAIRING AND SPARRING VESSELS. N. J. EDE. COMPAGNIE LYONNAISE D'ASSU: DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co. from the S. and W., precluding observations MESSRS. D. NOWROJEE & Co., established in the year 1858, beg to inform their BLENDED ISLAY AND CAMPBEL-BANCES MARITIMES. 4d 1539 Hongrong, 22nd August, 1870. until the Ladrones were sighted, 48, Queen's Road, CLEANING AND PAINTING IRON Customers and the public generally, that they STEAMER "ABBOISFORD" FROM Hongkong, 30th March, 1870. . 11 612 SHIPS AND STEAMERS. Société anonyme libre en Capital de 6,000,000 bave just set up a Steam Bakery in their pro-BOURBON .--LONDON AND SINGAPORE. The P. & O steamship Formora left Foothow de france (un quart verst.) MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above mises, which has epabled them to reduce their rates, without interfering with the well known THEIR LARGE GRANITE DOCK, on the August 18th, Amoy on the 19th, and watow on the 20th, reports experienced un-TUTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THIS Company, being associated for pur-poses of Marine Insurance in the For OLD TON. U steamer are requested to send in their OF HUNGKONG, LIMITED. average spring tides can receive Vousels of 16 to Bills of Lading for countersignature to the actiled weather with occasional very beavy rain East, with the superior qualities of their Articles. GINGER BRANDY. They are now enabled to offer their Bread Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery and Biscuits of the best quality at following of their Goods. the whole passage. The British ship Wyle was to leave Foothow on the 19th. The British CAPITAL \$1,500,000, IN 3,000 SHARES LLOYD FRANCAIS, Capital of 8,000,000 fros. and Biscuits of the best quality at following CATSON GATE, AND POWERPUL ORNTRIPUGAL GINGER WINE OF \$500 EACH. And with the Cre FRANCATES Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at Consigners' risk and expense, PAID UP CAPITAL \$300,000 rodnoed rates :ship Guinevers arrived on the 17th. H.M. gun-STEAM PUMP, D'ASSURANCES MARITIMES, RUM. Square, Twist, Cottage, and And an Engineers work-shop litted with Lathes boat Banterer, left for Tameni on the 16th .. Capital of VERMOUTE, Soda and Cracker Biscuits,

6 lbs. tips. 0.75 cach.

12 1.50 H.M. gunboat Hornel in Amoy. The steamship and Tools, driven by steam. Iron and Brans. without further notice. Offers to the Assund the Board of Directors,-Foundries, Boiler makers shop, a large Smithy, and Carpenters and Bout-builders sheds, All Kwanglung left Swatow on the 20th, bound up. JOHN BURD & Co., OURACAO and other LIQUEURS. H. FORBES, Esq., (Messry. Russell & Co. Security of a collective The steamship Asof a Swatow. BASS, BAROLAY and GUINNESS. Butter and Sweet Biscuits.... 0.30 per lb. superintended by resident Europeans. 1540 Hongkong, 22nd August, 1870. D. SASSOON, Esq., (Measure. David Sussoon SODA WATER and LEMONADE. The British steamship sunshine reports experienced moderate N.E. wind and beary payable in Lyons, Paris, London, Marseilles, CONSIGNEES of Cargo per M. I. Co.'e Some A Co-) Their two amaller GRANITE DOCKS one Gubin Biscuits 0.07 LANE, CHAWFORD & Co. Calcutta, Bombay, Yokohama, Hongkong and F. Buxer. Esq., (Meser. Eduljee Framjee in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, rain to Amoy between Amoy and Swatow receive, at apring tides. Vousels drawing 12 feet Some & Co.) 1543 Hongkong, 22nd August, 1870. NOTICE TO SHIPEASTERS. strong & E. wind, heavy confessed sea, and and take immediate delivery of their Oargo The undersigned having been appointed Hermann Melohens, Esq., (Meure: Melohors heavy rain; from thonce squally weather. The str. Kwangtung, left Swaton, on the 20th, the Spara, Timoer, and other Dock-yard material before the 20th instant, or they will be landed Agents in China for the above named Com-& Co.) E. DELBANCO, Esq., (Comptoir D'Escompte de CAPTAINS are invited to inspect the new diese machine-mile Bods, Cracker, "CANTON HOTEL" and stored at their risk and expense. pany, are prepared to accept Marine rieks, loroign or constinies at our rent rates. steamship Asof arrived same day, the stramship
Formosa left Bwatow in company with Samkline.
The Tea Clipper Wylo was to leave Foodbow on
the 19th for London, H.M. gunboat Banterer
for Tamsui on the 16th. H.M. gunboat Hornet O BERTRAND THE undersigned having been appointed by its new Proprietors manager of the above Hotel, begs to notify the Public in General that Cabin and Ship BISCUITS, at the lowest rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD, Esq., (Memes: Augustine of 1377 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1870. D. NOWROJEE & Go. Heard & Co.) 1520 Hongkong, 17th Angust, 1870. 1431 Hongkong 2nd August, 1870. the Hotel has undergone extensive repairs, and PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY. FROM NEW YORK. Bankwa .-FOR SALE great improvements have been udded for the conforts of its visitors. THE AMBRICAN SHIP " N. B. PALMER." THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL FOOCROW DOCK. at Amoy, passed a steamer off Breaker Point. UNTER Yellow-METAL and Composi-THE above Company is prepared to sevent risks on MERCHANDISE with average ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named BANKING CORPORATION. tion NAILS Due regard has paid in the belection of Lading to the undersigned for countersig-BIVER: MIN. RAIL to cities in the Eastern States between PORTLAND & BALTIMORE on the Atlantic both ports included, and between MILWAUKE and ST. LOUIS in the Interior, both inclusive, Also on MERCHANDISE F. P.A. by RAIL BOAD from SAN FRANCISCO to pities in the Eastern States of RAIL. Copper SHEETS. intelligent and attentive servants. do. RODS. nature, and to take immediate delivery of their Auction Sales To-day. THE above granite floored DOCK, of the A Billiard Room, with a magnificent table F. W. MINCHELL, Esq. MATTHEW, W. BOED, Esq. L. following Dimensions, viz : Lougth, 300 feet, Breadth at Bottom, 40 feet, is capable of Yellow Metal RODS. and a bar, where wines and spirits of the best At L FRICKEL & Co. Cargo impeding the discharge of this reach will be landed and stored at Consignees risk quality can always be obtained.

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1. 399 Hongkong, 26th February, 1870.

Bioretaries

At Kowloon Docks, August 21st, the wife R. DUNGAN, Esq., of a Sec.

on of R. Dungan, Esq. Dock Manager. The delivery of the Daily Press trum this office com

engora left the office at 10 85.

The Warly Press.

HONGKONG, ADOUST BOND, 1870. THE proposal to raise the REGISTRAN-GUNE-AL's salary at the meeting of the Legislative Council was only what was to be expected as the soguence of the nauscous laudations, which have been repentedly given. both to the office and to the gentleman who. nt present holds it. No opportunity has been allowed to slip of increasing, the functions of the REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Department, and at the same time, the most extravagant praise has been lavished upon Mr CRUIL SMITH, whose only notable public act since he returned to the Colony, has been his issuing a placard threatening Chinese Hawkers that, if they did not give evidence at the Supreme Court, such as would convict some one of extortion, their licenses would be withdrawn. As those, of an interpreter, Mr CECIL! SMITH'S Services are no doubt valuable as they were intended to be when he and other students, were sent out to Hongkong o aid the Government in the management o the Chinese; but with regard to his action as REGISTRAN GENERAL, it is certainly difficult to discover what enormous ability he has displayed. It is quite possible that he is

worthy of all the praise that has been bestowed upon him; but in what he exceeds an American, a deserter from the U.S.S. Delascores of interpreters who, in the Consular, were, and Nicolas Barber, an Italian, were and was examined as to the capture of the pri-2600 a year, it is sumwhat hard to perceive. first having confessed that he had no menus of The office of REGISTRAN-GENERAL, we are any sort, was sent to Dougha Castle (not Poktold, is increasing daily in importance. This is very probably the case; and the conclusion to be deduced from the fact is obviously, | flat for him to perform, seeing that ressel has either that the office should be unrrowed to the functions which originally belonged to it, on that it should be presided over by a the roughly experienced official. If it is necessary. that a different system of Government should be applied to all people speaking Chinese to that which is enforced with regard to other residents in Hongkong; and if, in addition, it is essential that the office should be presided over by a Chinese scholar, it is clear that an amount of authority must be exerted by the official placed in that position, such as should not be confided to any but a person of tried experience in public matters. Mr. CECH. SMITH'S position is properly that of interpreter, in which capacity he would no doubt be well paid with £800 a year. The down to sleep, some time in July hat, on Pos- discharged at once. sum of £1,000, equal to the salary, for session Point, finding himself uncomfortable example, of such tried servants as the Treamaster-General, seems too much for a public defendant's back, close to the very spot, where defended the prisoner. servant so very much less experienced. It is true that he has a knowledge of Chinese; but other officers have also their specialities, and, considering that, as a student, he had the means of acquiring a knowledge of Chinese provided by the Government, the Colony has, in a certain sense, a right to the acquirement at least for a given number of years, and it cannot reasonably be held out as entitling a man to an office which, if all that is said about it is true, requires administrative talent quite as much as a knowledge of Chinese. What seems obvious with regard to this question, is that the sum of £1,000 is either too much or little. It is too much for an interpreter of five years standing that is, comparing it with the salaries of interpreters. as given in the Consular Service to gentlemen living at much more expensive places than Hongkong, and it is too little for an officer who has to hold so responsible a position as the office of liggistran-General has, according to accounts, been allowed to become. Let a clear understanding be come to on the matter. If we must have a REGISTEAR-GENERALBEIP with all the powers that now apparently attach to the Office, let us either have a man i salary, or divide the functions between two persons. Even £1,500 a year would not be too much for a person who could efficiently perform both classes of duty. Hut it is certainly a pity that the inconsistency has been committed of paying a gentleman, who, whatever his talents may be, cannot be considered possessed of the experience necessary alone to hold so responsible a post, a salary greater than he is entitled to for his speciality of a knowledge of the language. and less than such a person as would alone be capable of holding an office of so much importance should properly be paid. It is very true, as was pointed out by the advocates of the measure, that a peculiar combination of talents is required; but it is a combination that is very little likely to be found,

and of an Office, which would be termed in

the Office into two-that is, to have a tried

Secretary to point out all the dotails con-

tion calling upon the Hawkers to give evi

dence at the Supreme Court to convict some

licenses, Mr. Swerm might exercise his

sinologistic talenta by making out the notice

and the Head of the Department show his

administrative capacity by ordering Mr

SMITH on no account to allow it to be posted

up; and, for the credit of the local Govern-

ment, it would not be at all out of the way

to pay an extra sum yearly to have this latter

least, we should have a much better chance

Chineso Secretary a solary increasing for

of affairs being properly carried on. For

function performed By this plan,

may rest assured that we shall never have At Kowloon Docks, August 21st, the Infant efficient Chinese interpreters in the Service other rooms; but their help was effectually until we make a special Chinese office, where an acquaintance with the language, about nunced on Friday morning at 1025, and the last mig- from any questions of other qualifications will be a passport to success; mid, on the other band, we shall not have the government. of the Colony in connection with the Chinose, which above all requires tact, experience, and administrative talent, efficiently conduoted, if we confer offices of immense importance upon gentlemen merely because they here acquainted with the Chicese

> The Daily News regrets to learn that Baron Bighthofen has been obliged to return from the North, without completing the programmo ho had not for himself before starting. The uthertled state of offices in the North bas made it impossible for him to prosecute the researches he had intended in north-west China. The invaluable information he has already olected, renders the interruption more ru-

The following account of the average mount of Bunk Notes in circulation. longkong, during the month ending 31st July, 870, is published in Saturday's Gazette :-Oriental Bank Corporation .. hartered Mercantile Bank of India, Lordon and China

bartered Bank of India, Austrolia 250,950 lougkong and Eboughai Banking

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

BEFORE C. MAY AND J RUSSELL. ESOS.

LOOSE FISH. yeard now lying at Whampon, James Devine, necessary to the case. ilim) for seven days, as a rogue and vagaboad: the second told his Worship, his was about to up on heard the Benefactress, (rather a difficult been pleatily ton days at sea.) and the third taying stated that the French Contal was about

"do" for him, these two were discharged.

Wong Ayow, was convicted of having run off with two bed quilts, the property of a bawhis own duor, made up into a bundle, while he stepped within to fetch, his lamp. Defendant than traced to a pawnshop, where he was caught in the act of pawning the quilts for 62, candareens. His address for the next six months vill also be Douglas Cautle, and friends may see him during that time engaged in healthy public exercise, but will not be able to address bim on any subject. A FAILING MEMORY

Lai Afo, a rice pounder, was fined 20s. within doors from the great best. When he proved by the man who made it and sold it, i case, and points of when, where, and front whom.

euch in \$100 for three months to appear if had searched all the pawnshops for the watch and chain lost by Mr. Wardlaw on that occusion, but bad failed to obtain any olus to it.

TA CHANG. Wong Akwai, of Sun Wai, a canlker, baying was sent to live with Mr. Grey, the Benior ion for the future would be more of a practical him, cashing cheques, do. than a speculative character.

THE PACAPE PROM THE DOCK. for some time in the investigation of the case but to bring it to witness us soon as received, of escape from the dock, which occurred on the and then if be wanted any money for petty cash was found in Macao, and brought back, stated the petty cash book. that his escape had been connived at by lukeng No. 22, to whom he had promised to give 85 if |cia, that it was in your caprice to treat thi be would allow him to go. Money was to be offence as a debt, and afterwards as a felony? of first rate talents, and pay him a first rate forthcoming when he got work in Micao. The evidence of one of the other four rogues who were together with Wong Ayeo in the dock at mother, that it was embezziment. At 6 he said the time, was taken: he drew on his imagi- he had the money at his house, and I said if he nution, but it amounted only to stating that he socially had the money in his house and paid Worship fully exemented the lukong from any /that he did not make away with it. -. commissione in the escape, but finel him \$25 for | His Lordship Both statements are con nuclect of duty. The Acting Abistant Super- sistent. Superintendent of Police, gave No. 22 an excel-

ent character. TWO JUSTICES ON THE BENCH. Police constable No. 48, on duty at the Ohinese Exhibition, saw one Lee Apang, a stoneereing their hair pine, and after watching him or half un hour bbserved him snatch an ourring nt of the car of a woman, who turned immediately and categht him. P.C. No. 96 who was with him had witnessed the theft and caught the man with the earting in his hand

enced to twelve months with hard hebour. DESERTER. William John Delaney, of Ireland, a landsman belonging to U.S S. Beniela, baving con-The Office of the Registrar-General so far fensed that it was drunkenness that caused as it can be understood, appears to be a him not to return to his ship, was sent to the U.S. Consul, and afterwards discharged. combination of a species of "Home Office."

Low Aling, recognized as baving been put under scennity in March last past, in the sum the Diplomatic Service that of "Chinese of \$5, for one month, recognised as a suspi-Secretary," and the proper way to conduct it would be, if it is impossible to find a gen- the Government for gambling, having been tleman baving qualifications fitting him to caught by P.C. Robert Clay, in the a t. of indulging his predilection for intestigating the perform such difficult functions, to divide laws of chance in company with a number of other infatuated persons of fraco, was conofficial to direct affairs, assisted by a Chinese victed of being a rogue and a ragabond, and sent to spend one month in commany with hard labour. His apostrophe to the P.U. when nected with the natives. Thus, for examtaken, was to the following touching words ble, with regard to the issue of a notifica-"You good heart, let me go!"

A number of no pass cases, of obstruction of hawking without the Government Diploma One of extortion, on pain of forfeiting their, of grangling in the streats, and other such petty offences, concluded the week's list of

> SUPREME COURT CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

jurors; Messys, J. B. Watson, H. Stellerfoht, ground that the Attorney-General had treated H. Mauleboso; H. Leavesley, A. Foncoca, A. it as a private prosecution, and that he had had J. da Costa, and B. Lopez.

ROBBERT WITH VIOLENCE. placed ut the bar on a charge of feloniously General. stealing one silver bangle, four alver buir pins,

prevented. Thereappeared to have been five men-litogether, and twoof them were detailed for the pecial nervice of proceeding one to each of the he mon effected their escape with their booty. but the two in epetody were captured by two ning theatre. When attacked, the first prisoner drew a knife, which was wrested from him. The accord prisoner had a white inoket on, of which, as bas Litely become the fashion, he got rid beore he was arrested.

The Chief Justice remarked that this was a lovel invention, and was very clever. The bungle and ring were found upon the first prisoner, and both prisoners were unmisakeably identified by the woman Lee Aping. and the Ordinance about hight-passes amunded in imagination. The first prisoner, who was unknown in gool, van contended to two years impringement with

hard labour, and one whipping, the second, who ban been in good before, to three yours' penal ervitude with three whippings. MOBBERY WITH VIOLENOR. The prisoner Chu Ashun was arraighed on barge of stealing one umbrella and four dollars from one Yung Achund, and with baving used violence immediately before the robberg.

The Attorney General stated that three of

the witnesses were absent, including the com-677,782 plainant, a sick friend, and a market coolie who helped to arrest the prisoner. He proposed to put in the depositions The Chief-Justice did not like to convict a man who could not cross-examine the witnesses, but believed he was bound to receive such evidence as the prosemtion tendere L. Still be was of opinion that the wording of the law pre-

vented the receipt in evidence of depositions which were not read over to the witnesses. In these cases they had not been read over to them, but a translation repeated. His Lordship anbecquently waived the objection, and such parts of the depositions of the two first witnesses were read as appeared

Service, are making their way on £500 or broughtin by 1 P.C. No. 38, Julius Seir, stating somer. This coolie's name is Yip Achune, and that be bad found their louing about. The really the coolies seem to be growing active inbringing originals to justice. The present witness, however, seeme t to be a pot objecting to the colour of the kettle, cross-examination proving that he had himself been in gaol. The case was simple enough. The constable's vidence alone was to the effect that the prisoner was arrested ranning away with an umbrella in his hand, which be threw down on the witness's approach. The fact of the robbery was proved by the depositions, and the Attorney General thought this constable's evidence sufficient to connect the prisoner with it. The robbery occurred in a Praya row. His Lardship told the jury that the only question at all doubtful was the use of riolence.

He could suggest no doubt about the rabbery. The jury accordingly convicted of simple obbery from the person. Sentenced to one year's hard labour. MANSLAUGHTER

Chu Ayow was formally sentenced to one day's imprisonment for killing a man by firing a rovolver in the harbour. This case stood over from last sessions, in order that the prisoner default, one month; convicted of unlawful might compensate the relatives of the deceased. possession of a silk jacket, the property of This baving been done, the above sentence was Chang Ayan, another pounder of rice, who had passed pro formd, which dating from the beginplaced it under bis head when he laid himself ping of the sessions, outitled the prisoner to be EMBESSLEMENT.

Mr. Francis's clerk, Lee Lum Kwuizwas awoke the jacket was gone, but he had met. his | then put on his trial for it e embezzlement of surer, the Auditor-General, or the Post- old and friendly garment walking about on \$50.50. Mr. Hayllar, instructed by Mr. Sharp. it had deserted him, its lawful owner, as was | The Attorney-General briefly opened the

> and who had not any knowledge of de endant, Mr. Francis repeated the evidence which he who persisted that he had acquired it by pur had already given before the magistrate. thuse, but whose memory was a blank on the from which it appeared that Mr. Francis would have considered the detention of the money a mere mistake had it b en repaid by 7 o'clock; Thing Ateal and Tunng Ming Shan, the chair | p.m., but thought otherwise since it was only police who were carrying Mr. Wardlaw, when paid to Mr. Dennys at 8.30 p.m. Mr. Dennys; he was spilt out of his chair opposite the ble articled clerk, had authority to receive the Hongkong Club, on the 15th instant, by a trap money up to 7 o'clock, but not later. The cause running into him, were ordered to find security of the delay was that the boy bad been going about to different places looking for the money. colled upon. Inspector Grey reported that he For this crime the prisoner was given in charge. Mr. Hayibir aubmitted that there was no case, since the money was repaid before the charge

His Lordship said be must reserve that point until the case for the prosecution was concluded Mr. Hayllar then cross examined Mr. Francis diuedeliciting that various sums amounting to about Wardeniof the Victoria Lodge, where a large | \$200 had been collected and paid him by the encompanent is in present session, the archives prisoner during July, that this was the only of that antient institution containing certain account which had been in defent during the records of his initiation, and his having been, prisoner's nine mouths' service, and that the already raised to the third degree, his instruct prisoner had occasionally obtained money for

In re-examination the witness said that th course of business was that the prisoner was The Senior Police Magistrate was occupied not to use any of the money collected on bills, instruct. The man, Wong Ayee, who witness gave him some back, and entered it in

His Lordship Did it occur to you, Mr. Frau-Mr. Francis No. my lord. I first thought when he said he had given the money to his had seen the lukong talking to the man. His. it over I was willing to believe his gratement,

Intendent, in the absence of the Auting Captain | After some further questions, Mr. Francis stated that he had been the more inclined to believe in the felony since be mw other sums missing, which, however, he had since found had not been paid. The Attorney-General here stated that b was only a vehicle for this prosecution, and did not want to say a word on either side.

Hereupon the foreman of the jury asked whether the case could not be stopped. His Lordship roplied that there were things sought to be ratablished in that Court one the guilt, the other the absolute innocence of the accused, and that they were very different things.

Mr Studd was then examined as before, con corning the payment of the bill, and denied having nent a message to Mr. Francis that there was more work to be done by him, and to let it stand over. After the interval for tiffin, which was limited to half an hour, Mr. Hayllar said he be lieved the case for the prosecution, was closed The Attorney-General had not arrived.

The Objet-Justice expressed his astonishment that Mr. Denbys was not called. Mr. Hayllar said he was going to call hi for the defence. Mr. Francis said if he might conduct his own case be would be glad:

His Lurdship wished he had mid so before. Here the Attorney-General came in. Mr. Attorney, you don't object, I suppose. The Attorney-General did object, It would interfere with that professional ctiquett which he thought he was bound to maintain The Chief Justice-Yes, but Mr. France thinks that as you have called this a private prosecution and do not represent his viv exactly, he might be allowed to conduct ! he

Mr. Francis added that there was not another Counsel in the Colony The Attorney General reminded Mr. Francis who continued speaking, that he had mude hi BEFORE THE HON. CHIEF-JUSTICE SMALE The Chief Justice and he was at liberty to state the grounds on which he made it.

Mr. Francis said be made it solely on the no idea at first that he was going to treat it so: The Objet Justice could not grant the appli-Leong Along and Leong Pak Ting wern cation without the consent of the Attorney

experience deconsury to enable them to cope | ber price for aid. They stole the wire and a sore wine and watchta lest Pounce or Aust Judy | your own protection; and I trust that Irom for parson while they thus held her. She of con noting the case and his no connect to foot and no clear, and simply to save him the or both (Aunt Judy elways remains to the end) was able, however, to atter amothered acreams, instruct. Where the propentor have he can do which were heard by the other women in the it better than he attorney General— Than the Attorney Finding it was not forthcoming, he went

special service of proceeding one to each of the tice, and be must refuse Mr. Francis's ap his mother the very money, the very notes, he other two women's rooms, and recommending plication, since the Atthreev-General objected had left in her safe keeping. It certainly would

The Attorney Gonomi said that was because mon a policeman. I was in the outer office, Mr. not only not guilty, but really innocent. Mr. Francis and the prisoner in the inner one. He Francis had given him a cheque for \$150 to called to me from the inner office . I got a cash after banking hours, and he had go The prisoners were found guilty, the coolie The constable book prisoner by the queue. The other sums besides this \$50. Why mot take a larger was absent) commended. latter remonstrated at being taken in control the character for \$50? Why not take a larger was absended as a common coolie and Mr. Francis told the amount and absended because absending was To-value of Stock on was gone to Masao, Mr. Francis was speaking in Mr. Francis's mind with respect to it. Mr. Francis said he was going out, and he Studd. And as soon as ever he was asked point went. The constable remained in the office, blank whether he had received the money, he and I considered that the prisoner was in his said "Yes, I have." oustody. That constable went out to speak to Mr. Hayllar then called witnesses to prove another, and the prisoner than left the office the new fasts he had opened, and also door, and was absent till about 5 p.m. to the character of the prisoner. The spinoludes been to Mr. Mitchell's where he had witnessed the original deposit of the \$50, seen Mr. Francis, who told him to come back | Messra D. Lapraik & Co.'s compradore, the to the office. He had then gone to Mr. D. R. druggiet, unde the compradores of Messre. Caldwell's, who had given him a latter to Mr. Arnhold, Karberg & Oc., and Messre. Gilman Francis, saying that he was to be trusted with & Oor These all gave the prisoner an excellent who told him she could not interfere. The of the opening they were called to prove. letter from Mr. Caldwell he opened in my The Attorney General pointed out that the presence and re-sailed. I saw it that evening story of the chest was not likely, but that still on Mr. Francis's table.

His Lordship (to Mr. Francis)-Will you

navo the goodness to produce that letter. (It

was subsequently put in, but not read).

stable had gone awayaoon after the prisoner first embezzling, it. He thought the jury were the money before 7 o'clock. Prisoner said there it was so or. Mr. Francis was compoundhad gone away. Then we went to a to His Lordship, I do consider it one. Se to prisoner spoke to his friend, who promised as pleasant thing, and Mr. Dennys, though he ocwent to a Chinese club house or Compredores of Mr Francis's evidence, his Lordship told the 7 o'clock I asked him several times to come away. He said he must stop to dinner or elshe would be ashamed. It would be over by 7. pradores generally pay for it. I have never at 8 minutes past 7, and shortly after that he was called upon for the money, and then he they rose and we also. We then went to the was able not only to give up the amount, but the druggiet's shop, and prisoner went led him to charge the accused as he did, upstairs with the druggist. He did not come down, and after waiting till a quarter past 8, I went opetairs and found prisoner had gone. The druggist showed me's back stairesso lead

ing to another street. I told the druggist ! should give him in charge for letting the His Lordship .- At whose expense I had Witness-Escape. I explained to the druggist that the prisoner owed Mr. Francis money and had promised to pay it by 7, after which,

it not paid. I was to give him in charge. His Lordship-A direction which you has not obeyed: Witness-I threatened to bring a constable to take the druggiet in charge. His Lordship-I hope you will learn a little

soner Mr. Francis might not receive it as I He told me be had been to his home in Bonhum, Strand, and had got it from his wife or quarter to nine. He was out, and I waited till he returned. I did not know the prisoner returned with him, and Mr. Francis did not speak to me in the prisoner's presence. bulf-past 8, Mr. Francis would not receive it, nor advise me how to dispose of it. On the Thursday before the prisoner's committal I tendered it to the prisoner, but he refused it. On the same afternoon I wrote to Mr. Russull. who said that Mr. Francis would advise the I did not ask him aga n, but wrote the same evening to Mr. Sharp, as attirney for the priconter tendering it to him, and telling him that Mr. Francis had refused to receive it.

His Lordship observed it was very unusua to see everybody refusing to receive \$50. Witness Mr. Sharp advised me to pay it Mr. Francis, and the latter after consulting with Mr. Sharp did receive it. I noted it the office-book. I remained and diffed with the prisoner solely because Mr. Francis bad told me not to let him out of my sight.

Oross examined by Mr. Hayllar-I bad sore foot when I went out with the prisoner. He knew that fact. Mr. Hayllar called two or three witnesse including one How Al Yee, who testified to the

story of the box. Mr. Hayliar then opened the case for the de fauce. He thought perhaps they had all bean rather too hasty in this case. Mr. Francis at first thought that other accounts were uppaid, and we were all ant, on finding one fault to missimp others, and thus to be more angry than there was just occasion to be. His case would be to show that, in the irregularity of which be admitted the prisoner had been quilty, she was entirely the victim of elroviostances, and that he had told the absolute truth with regard to the whole matter. The money had been paid on as Sa urday, July 9th, and the prisener in, took it home as he was constantly in the babit of doing. The members of his family had ample means of their own. His mother kept a phent, inside of which was a money-box. The prisoner received the money in two \$25 notes and 50 cents in aliver, which he gave to his mother. She locked it up in this box, and when the prisoner returned on Menday to the office, he forgot to nek for iti and the mother of the box. She was away until the day o

General then un that ground I object." down the back stairs mentioned by After further discussion, the Chief Just Mr. Dennys, and going home, obtained from

hone at the sword's point to hold their tongues, to it. He had expressed his astonishment be straining at a grat and swallowing a camel to that Mr. Dennys was not called for the prosecu- convict him of ambezzlement for this. It was quite upart from the question whether it was a matterof account. If so, the time would not have he was to be called for the defence, but by all made one farthing's difference. Except where means let him be colled. Call Mr. Dennys. costs were important in civil sints, for instance,
H. D. Dennys, sworn, states: Between half an hour's delay more or less could not make a
past three and foot on the day in question, Srd difference which any court would recognise. August, I was offed to by Mr. Francis to sum- But he wanted the prisoner to leave that Court constable (I.P.C. 193) and brought him to the Mr. Lapraik's Compradore to coal it. And if office. Mr. Francis gave the prisoner in charve he wanted to make a swoop, there were many constable to let go the quene, and the prisoner his only chance. He could not have more than would follow him (the constable) to the station. a week two of tether, to ran at the outside! I think before this I heard the prisoner in the Then with regard to his deathl of the receipt. inner office buy to-Mr. Francis that his mother he believed there was some misapprehension in a very decided tone, rather angry, but not Studd was several times asked for it, and he passionate. I cannot say what he said. Mr. might have said he was busy or something of To value of Engine & Francis was then going out, and stopped, the kind. There must have been some misprisoner was getting his things together, burdly deceive his master as to a matter which expecting to be sent away at once, Mr. the could find out the next time he and Mr.

> When he returned he told me he had his mother, a man called How Yh Yee, who had money. After that lie had gone to Mrs. Francis, character, and supported respectively the parts

be did not mean to say the man was guilty: The Chief Justice, in summing up, remarked that this was the first time he had ever heard of twice the amount being forthcoming, the Examination continued .- Prisoner stayed in money noticelly in the prosecutor's pocket. the office till Mr. Francis returned. The con- and the prisoner at the bar charged with left. Mr. Francis, on his return said be had de- bound in favour of Mr. Francis, to assure cided not to prosecute the prisoner if he gave him his first view that this was a debte for either would be no difficulty about getting the money. ing a felony at the moment that how id " I will He put together a few things again, and Mr. take your money." It was not for Mr. Francis to Francis told me to accompany him to get the leavif the money were paid at 7 o'clock it would money, and that if prisoner did not pay it to be a debt, but if at 8 a felony. One evidence too ine by 7 o'clook I was to give him in charge to of embezzlement was wanting here, and that was By Shareholders for. European constable in his name for embeze the defacing of the evidence of the debt. However, element. I went with the prisoner to the paymentdid not constitute theoffence a mistake. National Bank, where he spoke to the shroff, or If it was one, it was as much a mistake at 8 compradore. Then we went to Wo Hang's o'clock at at 7; and when Mr. Francis on d.I. shop, and there be found his friend will consider it a mistake, he said, as it seemed By Estate of John Ladruggist's abob in Queen's Road, where the Mr. Dennys's evidence dining was no doubt a we came out to give him I think \$78 by 7 essionally referred to 7 o'clock, did not object By H. M. Governway, and we would return at 7 o'clock. We of a Chinese dinner. With regard to a portion By Sundry Creditors. meeting in Stanley-street, of which prisoner is jury that that gentleman having said he would a member. I waited while he spoke to a few r ceivethe mone; and having ultimately received of his friends, but as it was getting towards it, the affair was converted into a debt. Otherwise Mr. Francis was taking both the remedies. The jury, without retiring, returned a unanimous verdict of not guilty, and in reply to He went to dinner and I joined the party. I His Lordship, stated that they believed the never paid for my dinner. I believed the Come evidence of How Ab Yee and of the prisoner's

esten there before. There was eating and Chi- His Lordship then addressed the prisoner, obness samphou. Shortly before 7 I maked pri- serving that his good character had stood him in soner to come away. He said in two or three good stead in the long and careful trial that he minutes they would all rice, and he was sure had gone through. The jury believed that he to get the money when we went to the shop, did give the money to his mother, that she I staid there till after 7. I looked at my watch went to Macan, and only returned on the day druggist's shop, where we found the druggist to get another sum. He thought he was bound had not the money. He went for it, but as he to say that the accused left the court innocent. was long away we went and met him He did not say froe from blame, because he returning without the money. The friend certainly was careless, and by his carelessness bud gone out to dine. Prisoner said he could caused suspicions in the mind of Mr. Francis. get it from another man. I waited in which at the time. His Lordship did not wonder.

> TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." EIR, -Permit me to beg that you will insert the following curious narrative, which I find in an unpublished manuscript as the groundwork on which a romance of some weak kind was t have been founded. I am your obedient servant.

AN UNPUBLISHED MS.

A FAMILY RISTORY

Papa had gone away. Nobody knew exactly where he was gone, but it was well known that he sought change of air, as his health required it. Some people said he was in trouble, and only skulking, but that couldn't be, because he said he would come back in a short time. However, better law some day.

Witness.—The druggist said if I would let bim go out he would bring the money in less than five minutes. He went; but before be very different sort of person from Papa. It did not say he had got the money. I took the speaking broadly it may be said that Papa was a moody man, who kept us in order by his Mr. Francis would take it. I am not in the very cheerlessness, while Uncle Harry rather. habit of receiving money for him. I told pri- publicly with Aunt Judy. The first day Uncle Harry ant at the head of the table. Aunt Judy had authority only to receive it up to 7 o'clock. wore the venerable cap in which she looks so very good and solemn, but afterwards she seemed to loss her fear of Unole Harry-he mother, I cannot mly which. I went then to has a very terrific appearance at first sight-Mr. Francis's house, and reached it shout a left off ber cap, and took to flirting with him at the dinner table. Pape's nice, respectable old olerk seems to get on so well with Unels Harry, that you would fancy he never served under any one elac. Big Brother Pounce does not When I said I had received the money at seem to admire Uncle Harry's conduct with respect to Annt Judy, so he looks as severe and solemn as nature allows him to look Brother Pounce in a great talker, and frequently at dinner relieves everyone else of the necesnity for conversing. The other day, however he got into a row with Aunt Judy. It all hanpened thus. Papa's clerk is very fond of talking of business during dinner, which is a enston of long standing in our house, as Papa never cared to think of anything else. People said he was haunted by the notion that he

> mlary. He was a very deserving young man. exactly how to do it, because we didn't care to for China and Japan. some under another. Aunt Judy didn't like reciprocated by you all. that ides. Bhe manufed to top Uncle Burry the

might get into debt some day. Any way, the

head clerk mentioned that Uncle Harry had

arranged, to pay one of the office clerks a higher

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOUB COMPANY. COOUNTS January to June, 1870. apital Account. ARRETS. value of Couper's :\$211,222.40 value of Looksun To value of Sheara, 7,300.00 To value of House at 17,574.61 Tovalusof New House 5,520.00 4,000.00 59,943.10 To value of Hope Dock, 250,000 00

42,311.21 lo value of Aberdeen 16,315.16 Townlue of Stock on Kowloon. Docks. No. 1 & 2. 351,000.00 value of Marine En-13,500.00 value of Lighter and Boats, 1.500.00 value of Hulk Celestial. value of Btock on 95,585.06

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REVENUE ACCOUNT. work from lat Jan. to 30th June, 1970 ... \$145,89 423 to amount paid for laand wages for same period amount paid for babour at Aberdeen and wages same period ... 12,078.32 To amount paid for labour at Wanobai and

wages same period... 9,192.87. To amount paid for labour at Kowloon and wages from 4th March to 30th June. 11,774.08 To amount paid Soore-3.600.00 tory's minry To amount paid E. H. Pollard, Esq., Coun-

To smount paid for Sundry charges at Hongkong, Whampos, Aberdeen and To amount poid for in-

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deen Dooks and Wanchai Yard, from 1st of January to 30th June. and of the Kowloon Dock from 4th March to 30th Jane. 1870...\$291.673.83

Hougkong, August 13th, 1870.

GEORGE NESSIT MINTO. We have examined the books and vonchers I the company, and certify that the above statements are in accordance therewith. M. P. JUEES, Auditors J. HART.

E. & O. E.

SHANGHAL to the address presented to a.m. un his caparture by the Municipal Council :-GRATLUMEN.-I thank you very much for published, amongst other scraps of which the and his work was becoming very ardeous and this expression of antisfaction at the mode in man bad been the author. The informant also his position very responsible. Some of us which I have endeavoured to perform the duties states that he was frequently in the mun's comwanted to kick up a row, but we didn't know appertaining to the Office of H.M. Uhiel Judge

Pounce joined the enemy. We contented endeavouraged to conciliate differences that lection of literary scrape; and Mr. Medburst ourselves on this obmaion with making and have arrive between members of the community. does not consider that there is any foundation withdrawing a protest, which stood just long | Such, I conceive, was my duty; and in so far for the belief that it emanated in any way from enough to show that we were of opinion so very tes I have been able, to reader members of the Tseng Kwo Fan. young (however deserving) a man should not be community, either collectively or individually, placed in a position which was daily increasing any assistance. I have done no more than what in importance. We wanted to have a man of I conceive to be the duty of every official. experience, an old buffer, any, like the Head Blocially, every effort of mine; to be on terms clerk himself. But we let that passe Next it of friendship with each member of the comwas officially unnounced that some of the work- munity, and to encourage amicable relations men were to be placed under one foreman and amongst yourselves, has been more than

wink, and then came; out grand about at without alluding to two or three topics in which with Gladieteur; in 1867, with Forvacques; in army baving one general. This was well I have taken; and still take, a great interest, 1369, with Glaneur; in 1870; with Sornette. calculated to please Uncle Harry, who knows a In the first place, let me congratulate you upon |... France will not fail to present herself with having secons to no safe to keep so large a sum thing or two about military matters, which the calm, business-like. I might well also say a crown of laurels on the occasion of this new evidently Aunt Judy doesn't. Well, the old lady statesman-like, tone, in which when called great victory. Be it so ! but let the laurele be rambled on about various matters, and at last upon you have discussed all questions of mer- culled in England; that is only fair, We suggested very strongly that; Uncle Harry contile and political importance. While doing bave, in truth, gained the grand prin against ought to dismiss Dan; who is a nondescript loafer so, you have merged national distinctions, and about the house, and seems to possess a certain spoken simply as members of one undivided amount of authority over the servants. Papals community. So long as you observe this rule what gains do we shoot; and what horses do we head clerk and Brother Pounce both of conduct every expression of your opinions run? We use English gans, and we breed horses. shouted together that Dan was not employed will. I feel convinced, not only gain in im- from English parents. Sornette, the great office, he forgot to ask for it; and the mother at all by Uncle Harry, nor by Paps portance and in strength, but will be entitled victor on Sunday, is sprung from English being sent for to Macso, took with her the ker formerly. However that might be, we all to, and receive from those to whom they may parents—Light and Surprise. Who were emknew well enough that he was there, and be addressed, the grantest consideration, which the money was saked for, and he has that he managed to live by staying there. Some You have recently entered upon a new form lishmen! Let not the Society for the Engage evidence to show that she returned of us, too, had a hazy notion that Dan's an of Municipal Government, the strength and couragement of Horse-Breeding be too proud. energy.

The Astorney-General said that certain on that very day, and sent a message to thority was not of the cleanest formation, even influence of which entirely depend upon the Its merit merely consists is having acclimatized

her son to say she had so returned. When Brother Pounce was afraid to say right out that beartiness with which every member of the an English quatom in France. But that which

Corns will never be used for offensive purposes, on the other, sits organization will never be allowed to die but from neglect or indifference. Every able-bodied man in the Settlement ought to be a member of either its active or reserve branch. In olden times, it towns in Europe owed their progress and their liberties. The knowledge that they could defend their own, saved them frequently from attack, and secured to them in troublous times perce and prosperity. Events have shown that the Government of this country is trammelled by conflicting opinions amongst its own people, as regards its relations with foreigners; and you are, in fact, assisting it in the preformance of its Trenty duties, when you by timely precautions prevent, by the attitude you assume, the evildisposed from taking advantage, to your coat of complications which have arisen, and are so constantly likely to arise, out of those very

The painful and astounding intelligence we have just received of political disturbance in Europe, will, I am sure, make no difference in thefriendliness of your relations with each other. Though you may be the subjects of rivel and hostile Governments, your mutual relations are of a far more intimate and holy character. You are members of one family residing in a strange had, exposed to common dangers and having common interests; whether your Rulers see fit to differ or agree that cannot and ought not to affect you. War is a durse ; but let it not, I beseech you, interrupt. feelings that spring from mutual respect, hindly intercourse and private social relations. In conclusion, while again thunking you for the flattering proof you have given me of your esteem and goodwill, permit me to offer you. without distinction of nationality, my grateful acknowledgments for the kindness and hospitality shown me during my residence in China,

and to wish you all prosperity and happiness.
(Signed) FIMUND HORNBY. H.B.M. Chief Judge for China and Japan

OHINKLANG.

The Cycle says :- Ting, Futai, in consequence his reputation for accurate acquaintance with foreigners, bas been ordered to Peking, to The task does not seem very welcome, for instead of going by steamer and reaching the capital in ten days, the governor is, in strict accordance with the rites, going by land. It he is lucky, he will complete the journey in about a month, as there are some eighteen stages to be passed. and allowance has to be made for bad weather.

HANKOW. Mesers. Gorden Bros. circular of the 6th August bus the following, in vegard to the flood :- "The river advanced steadily until the 4th instant, submerging the Bund to the depth of 64 feet (fully 2 feet more than at the highest point of last year, and flooding the entire native city and the majority-of-the Honga-and Godowns on the Concessaion. To-day, a fall of It inches is apparent, and as the water is reported to have gone down considerably up country, we trust we may be spared a further rise. All boundary walls on the Concession have been washeddown, but the greatest destruction of property is said to be in the native city, where the misery existing can scarcely be realised. The heat of the past fortnight has been greater than for many years, the thermometer rang-ing from 91° to 93° both day and night, and this, together with the flood, has caused immense mortality amongst the natives." The flood has of course affected commerce seriously. Business in imports has been brought nearly to a standstill; and the flooding of the Settlement, and consequent difficulty of storage, have caused the shipment to Shanghai of nearly all teas on arrival. Musters of third crops were expected

MODEL DUELLING.

in a few days. Their cost in the country was

said to be Tis. 1 at 2 over last year's rates.

More and more as time rolls on does Shanghai make good her title to be called the " Mode! Settlement." Her last exemplar has been in the important matter of how best to protect one's personal bonour. Two gentlemen had a difference so serious that no solution seemed possible except to refer the matter to mortal arbitrement. The one accordingly challenged the other, and last exening they met in the auburbs. Weapons, pistois; rules according to the most approved Chalk Farm precedents. But here came in the grand reforming principles for which Shanghai is distinguished. The seconds quietly ageed that while the combatants should be allowed all the glare and noise that a proper quantum of powder could produce; the evile of accompanying cold lead should be avoided. Accordingly, they loaded without bullets ! The gentlemen having each entrusted his will to his second, and given sundry affecting directions as to the disposal of certain friendly souvenirs, and the treatment of their favorite ponies and pet dogs, took their stations, and, at the signal, fired, anddidn't hit each other!! The matter was then made up, the two enemies became sworn friends, and champague cooktails, and a petit souper closed the hostile encounter. We call on all Newspaper Editors, exposed as they hourly are. to the cartel of article-galled public men, grateful public generally, to join with us in a public acknowledgement to the two gentlemen. who by this wholesome precedent have given the universe a demonstration that it is possible o settle "affairs of honour" without murtal

THE FORGED DESPATCH FROM TSENG KWU FAN.

lek.—Shanghai Courier.

Mr. Consul Medburst, writing to the N. C. Daily News on the above subject, states that the document was written by a man of the name of Talang Lien Jen well known in Shanghai as a clever and pushing that needy nobolar, who was some years ago employed as a teacher in the London Mission, where he, no doubt, familiarised himself with foreign ideas and things. A Chinese who was well acquainted with the author, informed Mr. Medhurst that he tried to obtain a situation in Tseng-kwo-fan's Yamen as Secretary, an office for which his literary acquirements peculiarly fitted him, but that Tseng, taking dialike to his mean appearance and disagreeable temper and habits, declined to employ him. He subsequently, upon the information he had picked up in Teeng's Yamou, pouned this so called reply The following is Sir Edmand Hornby's reply to Mr. Wade, and submitted it through a friend to Tseng, but that functionary excused himself from making any use of it. It was therenpon pany during the time that he was composing the letter, and that be remembers having any anything against so painstaking a young | You are pleased to any that I have checked, repeatedly even him conning over different parts man. Aunt Judy was on our side, but Brothers instead of encouraged, litigation, and have of it. This document was published in a col-

> THE GRAND PRIX DE PARIS. (Paris Journal-Paris, June 13.) France is victorious! Nay, more, abe is nov

two victories ahead of England. Three times.

indeed, the English gained the prize-in 1863 with Ranger; in 1866, with Cevlon; in 1868. with the Earl. But the French have guined the I cannot, however, take my leave of you prize fivetimes—in 1864, with Vermouth; in 1865 English horson. We also a few days ngo best the English in pigeon-shooting. But with ployed to breed, train, and sockey, her? Eng-E800 to £1,000 would not be foo much, and probably there are many tried officials who may be therefore, and including the state of the anomalous position of learning of the anomalous position of learning for the anomalous position of learning for the state of learning for the s COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

HONGKONG, AUGUST 22ND, MORNING. The drug market for Bangal has been irrogular in prices. Patna has changed hands at \$572; to \$575 cash, and \$576; to \$580 on ore-dit to the Chinese. Fresh Bargain chops or scrips have been issued from two or three quarters, to the extent of about 150 chests. upon a valuation of \$575 per chest, with carnest money of \$15 & chest; \$6822 carnest money \$123; and \$585, \$10 per chest. It is said that acrips to the extent of more or less 700 chests are still held by the Chinese, which if demand-ed, the market is bound to advance further, and probably touch \$600 a chest. In Benares, transactions have been done at \$515 a chest, to be delivered on arrival of the next English Mail. The steamer Abbotsford has brought for this place from Singapore about 122 chests, of which some sales have been reported at \$520 to \$5224. The following may be taken as the present ruling prices:—Patna. \$575 cash. \$5761 to \$580 on credit; Benarca, \$520 to \$2221 cash, quoted, \$525 to \$5271 on credit, little doing; Patna, of the 8th sales, on three weeks time, to arrive, \$360 buyers, \$5624 sellers; Bargain chops of \$5724 at \$124, buyers, \$575 at \$15. sellers; Malwa, \$640 to \$660, according to quality, little doing.

Some more sales of new Bank shares are reported at 18 per cent. premium; old are still offering at 27 per cent. premium. In Exchange there is nothing doing, and quotations are unchanged.

EXCHANGE. ON LONDON. Bank Bills, at 3 months sight, 4/3 Credits, at 6 months sight 4/42 Documentary Bills, at 6 months' Bank Bills on demand......4/23 On Bounay. Bank, 3 days sight 2254 ON CALCUTTA, -Bank, 3 days' sight 2254

ON BRANCHAL .-

Hongkong Bank Shares, Old 28 p. c. ex div. Union Insurance Society of --Ohiga Traders' Insurance Company's ...\$1.650 prem. " China & Ppan Marine Insurance Tla 25 to 30, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's China Fire \$40 to 42 prem. H'kong & W'poa Dock....... 8 per cent die. H'kong O'ton & Macao Steam Boat Shares. 27 p.c. prem. Hutchison, Master, will be despatched for the Shanghai Steam Navigation Co....Tle. 5 prem. above port TO-DAY, the 22nd instant, at 5 China Sea, Saigon, and Straite S. S. P.M. Ohina and Straits Steam Navigation par

Indo-Chinese Sugar Co..... SALES ON AUGUST 20TH, 1870. As reported by Chinese.

Rice, 1,000 piculs, at \$2.12, by Yuen On Tui to Hongkong merchant. Bice, 2,000 piculs, at \$1.95, by Chun Cheong Wing by retail. Black Sugar, 200 picula, at 33.65, by Obun Cheong Wing to Shanghai merchant. Rice, 500 picals, at Tis. 1.5.5., by Kwong Cheong Tai to Hongkong merchant.

Bice, 300 picule, at Tla. 1.42. by Cheong Tai to Hongkong merchant Siam Rice, 1,500 piculs, at \$1.85, by Yuen Fat Hong to Hongkong merchant. Siam Rice, 2,000 piculs, at \$2,15, by Yuer Fat Hong to Hongkong merchant. White Sugar, 500 piculs, at \$6.85, by Yuen | TIHE American Double Decked Ship the to meneow more pant Bombay Cotton, 150 bales, at \$20.00, by Parsen merchant to Man Hing. merchant to Chuen Shing. Bombay Cotton, 151 bales, at \$16.00, by foreign For Freight, apply to acrohant to Chuen Shing. merchant to Obuen Shing.

Window Glass, 500 cases, at \$2.70, by foreign merchant to Canton merchant. Black Pepper, 400 pigs, at 85.65, by foreign merchant to Canton merchant. Nail Rod Iron, 1 6, 2,000 bundles, at \$2.41 by foreign merchant to Hongkong merchant.

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until 11 a.m. on the 25th instant, after which no Letters can be received.

Money Orders on any of the Money Order
Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 r.m. on the 24th instant.

Letters for Registration will be received.

> Postmaster General General Post Office.

When forwarded via 42 cents each half-ounce When forwarded via Marseilles 36 conts cash half-ounce When forwarded vid.

It is hereby notified for general information that on and after the 1st August next, the Commission chargoable on Money Orders issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkong,

Above £2 and not exceeding £5...38 Above £5 and not exceeding £7...54 Above £7 and not exceeding £10..72

General Post Office.

FOR LETTERS 20 conts each half-an-ounce weight. FOR NEWSPAPERS, PACKETS OF PATTERNS. AND BOOKS: 2 cents each two ounces up to ballpound, and 8 cents every additional ball-pound.

General Post Officer: Hongkoug, 23rd September, 1869;

LETTERS, &c., ADDRESSED "LONDON! ONLY. Many persons are in the habit of addressing Letters, &c., for well-known Firms and Individuals, to "London" only; but this practice not unfrequently occasions delay in such Letters &c. reaching their rightful owners. In all, cases, however well the Firm or Individual for whom a letter is intended may be known, it, is most essential, to ensure its correct and prompt delivery, that the streets in which they reside, and the number of the house, should

Postmaster General General Post Office,

No Letter, Book, or packet of patterns can be registered unless the full postage upon it, as well as the registration fee, be paid in advance in postago stamps. Letters, &c., for registration will be received up to half an hour before the time fixed for closing the Mails.

It is hereby notified for general information When forwarded via Brindisi, 42 cents each When forwarded via Marseilles, 36 cents each When forwarded via Southampton, 28 cente each balf-ounce.

Postmaster-General. General Post Office,

are) to the same privileges, in regard to their Letters, as are enjoyed by non-Commissioned Officers and Private Soldiers.

Postmaster General. General Post Office,

It is bereby notified for general information hat, under the provisions of a Treasury Warf Posts in China and Japan, and to letters falucca, Coylon, India, Suez, Malta and the The rates of postage chargeable in futore on

It is hereby notified for general information that, under the previsions of an additional Convention concluded with the United States. Overland for ENGLAND and the CONTI- Post Office, a further reduction has taken place the postage on Letters between the United THE undersigned Coul Shop has been BE- Through Bills of Lading given, also, for New. Kingdom and the United States, which has

> Whon forwarded wid Brindisi, 42 cents each half-ounce. When forwarded via Marseilles, 36 cents each ball-onnea. When forwarded via Southampton, 28 cents each half-ounce.

> Postmaster General

until 10 a.m. on the 25th instant. F. W. MITCHELL.

Hongkong, 18th August, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information that, the Postage (which must be paid in advanced) upon letters addressed to Prince Edward Island, will henceforward be as follows. 1z. ---

Southampton..... 28 cents each half-ounce. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General.

General Post-Office. Hongkong, 28th July, 1870.

Shanghai, and Yokobama will be as follows.

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaeter General.

Hongkong, 15th July, 1870. It is hereby notified for general informationhat under the Provisions of a Treasury Warrant which will come into operation on the 1st October next, correspondence addressed to Constantinopic will be forwarded at the following reduced Rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance, viz

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General

form a part of the address.

F. W. MITCHELL.

Hongkong, 81st January, 1870. It is hereby notified for general information, by order of His Excellency SIR RICHARD GRAVES MACDONNELL, that the system of registration has been, from this date, extended to latters and other descriptions of correspondence transmitted by the Post, in the Mails by both the British Contract Packets and by Private Ships, between this Office and each Agency thereof in China and Japan, viz.: Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Foothow, Ningpo, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Biogo, and Yokohama, and also between any two of these Agencies.

The fee for registration is 8 cents each letter

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office

Hongkong, 13th October, 1869, that the rates of postage (which must be paid in advance) upon Letters addressed to Canada. Nova Scotin, and New Brunswick, will henceforward be as follows, viz :alf-onnea.

F. W. MITCHELL.

Hongkong, 28th February, 1870. It is hereby notified that, under the authority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st May last, Superintending, or First Class Schoolmanters in the Army will, in future, be entitled to the same privileges in regard to Letters sent by or addressed to them on their own private affairs as are at present enjoyed by Commissioned Officers in the Army; and all Army Schoolmistresses will be entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of all but the First Class now

F. W. MITCHELL, Hongkong, 31st July, 1868,

rant dated the 7th December last, the scale o-Progression of Weight baving balf-an-ounce for its unit, has been extended to all, Letters forwarded between this Office and any of the addressed to Manila, Batavia, Saigon, Pondicherry, Bangkok, Labuan, Singapore, Penang. Ionian Islands, Gibraltar, and Spain and Portugal viå Gibraitar. Letters addressed to these places will, therefore, advance by a single rate of postage for each F. W. MITCHELL.

Postmaster General. Jeneral Post Office, Hongkong, 14th February, 1870.

York and Europe via Panama route, and to been extended to Letters forwarded through the sale at very moderate prices. Gentlemen who America; and South America to as far as Valpa-Hongkong, or at any of the British Postal favor them with their patronage are requestated raise.

Favorable arrangements have been made for United States to be United States. LOLIOWS, VIZ :--

Propayment of the postage is compulsory.

General Post Office. Hongkong, 14th February, 1870.

Professor Thompson's Siphen-recording We must not amit to notice that Sir. William Thompson's siphon-recording instrument was last night axhibited for the first time in Engcurrent received at the end of a submarine sales, and their success is something quite cable, and is likely to displace everywhere the unparalleled; but it is easily explained. They unirror galvanometer, by which, bitherto, all are prepared expressly to relieve and cure all messages through long cables have been received. The older instrument shows every wayward motions. It is almost meredible that setive principles of Bristol's Sugar-coated Pills men should acquire the skill required to disen- aretungle at the moment the complex motions of this little spot, distinguishing the effects of earth currents, bld signals, induction, and what not from the true eignal; even with the greatest skill many repetitions are required, and some uncertainty often hange on the interpretation of a word. The new instrument receives and indicates everything by Sir William's earlier invention, and writes it indelibly; this is accomplished without any sacrifice in the nexativeness of the instrument A very fine glass siphon waves to and fro ever a running strip of paper without touching it, and from this siphon ink is spurted on to the Is the oft-repeated inquiry which comes to us annually submitted to the careful scrutiny of paper by a series of electric sparks, these from the most distant sections of the world two independent Auditors, and the following is sparks being generated by a peculiar induction about our MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA on Extract from their Report to the last Anmachine. This fine rain of ink leaves a trace WATER: of the position of the siphon at every instant, in a fine continuous line. The siphon follows faithfully the rise and fall of the received our- Is also a query often put to us. Of course we rout, and these alternations are arranged so as are not willing to make our formula known, to form an alphabet, as in the usual single and all such questions remain manawered. needle instruments. The rain of ink "Ah!" says one, "I smell opposes not the slightest resistance to the free motion of the siphon. The instrument has been doing commercial work on the French | nothing else could be so delicate, yet so refresh-Atlantic Cable for a couple of months in the ing." Still we answer nothing, because, were island of St. Pierre, and its use on the Indian we either to deny or admit, it would be equally lines will be followed by increased speed and disbelieved. "To me, says another, accuracy. Its wonderful delicacy is indicated by the fact that it recorded measures at St. Pierre sent by a rival company a line, although no metallic connexion existed between the two lines, which nowhere approached one another within a quarter of a mile. Tapping a rival a mile of it is indeed a novelty.—Times, June

The Eyre Procession. EXCHEQUER CHAMBER, JUNE 24. Sillings in Error.—Present—The Lord Chief Baron, and Barons Martin and Channell, and Justices Willes and Smith.)

PHILLIPS V. EYRE. The Judges had announced that they would deliver judgment in this case this morning. Mr. Justice Willes proceeded to deliver a very long and very learned judgment of the Court. His Lordship said this was on action complaining of false imprisonment and other. personal injuries perpetrated in the Island of Jamaica. It was pleaded that the defendant was Governor of the island, and that a rebellion had broken out; that an act of indemnity had been passed by the Legislative Body in the are so exactly and perfectly blended together. island protecting the defendant, and all others that it is quite impossible to detect the distincwho had acted there bond fide in respect of all tive odour of any single one. The effect of the things done by them in order to put an end to combination is the most agreeable and refresh the rebellion, and it was alleged that all the ing perfuse to be found anywhere. We acts done by the defendant were done for the never get tired of it; the longer we use it, we purpose of putting down the rebellion. The enjoy it the more." But this can be said only case had been tried and argued in the Court of the MURBAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA Queen's Bench, and that Court had given judgusent for the defendant. The plaintiff then assigned error. Mr. Quain had appeared for the
plaintiff and Mr. Mellish for the defendant. It
was clear that it was the duty of the defendant

WATER. There are others who offer for sale
fluids which they they call Florida Water, but
they possess none of the wonderful virtues of
Murray & Lanman's; and buyers should always
be particular to ask for the Florida Water proNot exceeding 1: to put down the rebellion, and it had been laid pared by down that any individual might commit acts which were necessary to prevent a riot; and that it was the duty of every subject of the realm to perform those agts to the best of his ability, and he might even arm himself if necessary. No doubt it was better to have the authority of the magistrates, but if the occasion demanded immediate action, and there was no opportunity of procuring the assistance or authority of a magistrate, it was the duty of every person to sesist in preventing or subduing such riot, and he might be assured that his note would be protected by the law. To besitate or to temporize might lead to the most disastrous consequences. Prompt-and speedy action might be necessary, and the Governor of a colony so acting in regard to a rebellion in the colony might trust to the law for protecforce, and he might take life or property if requisite. Such was the effect of the Act of Indeposity in question. Several such Acts of Indeposity in question. Several such Acts of Indemnity had been passed in the reigns of different Kings. The Crown had granted powers to the colonies to make laws for their government. This court was estimied that such Colonial Acts had the same effect as those passed in the Sovereign Legislature. It was suggested that this was responsent to the law of this reconstruction. this was repugnant to the law of this country, and that a Governor should be held responsible for his acts, and could not be relieved from the effect of a civil action. But it was not repugnant to the law of this country, and a Governor was absolved from a civil action on account of any of his acts, from which he was indemnified. It was also said that the defendant was a party to the passing of the Act of Indemnity, but he was no more so than any individual in the colony. It was neged that this Colonial Act was contrary to common justice; and was retrospective. No doubt retrospec ive laws were to be looked upon with some degree of jealousy, but retrospective laws were consistent with the constant practice of legislation. Retrospective laws might be requisite, and necessitated by different circumstances. It was a misconception to suppose that the Ocionial Act could not take away the right of the party to bring a civil action in this country. This Court were of opinion that the Colonial Act of Indemnity furnished an answer to this liction; and that the judgment of the Court of Onesa's and that the judgment of the Court of Queen's Bench must be affirmed. Judgment affirmed.

Well-wishers of the University of Oxford says Nature, will rejoice to hear that the hono-Darwin. The state of Darwin's health unfortunately precludes him from accepting the professed bosons, but the scientific naturalists of this and other countries will mone the less appreciate the compliment which has been paid to their great leader.

Switzerland is inclined to build a railway right across the Republic, connecting Prussia, Holland, and the German Ocean with Italy and the Mediterranean, which railway is to pierce the Alpa by the Ste Gothard Pass. Not being able to raise all the money, she applies to her neighbours; and Prassia, Beden, and Italy, all of which want the line, promise subventions, Thereupon France sees a vision of alliances, and demands "guarantees of neutrality." An unknown person has offered to the University of Oxford as prize of £100 for the best present day by arguments derived from evidences of intelligence, design, contrivance, and adaptation of means to ends in the universe, and especially in man considered in his moral suture, his religious aptitudes, and his intellecrial powers; and in all organic nature.

Intimations. HEALTHY LIVER

troin the summetting officer somes in a manner is composed of several lobes or divisions. Its Jones and Taylor receive it as frequently from the blood. It weighs about four pounds, following information to the public, as evidence What Ear Ospical -No. 7, Pall Mail, S. W. Brown, gentlemen quits as well qualified degry of long continued, heat is to derange the assurers.

for the privilege, sit under their vines matural action of the liver, and ultimately to assurers produce enlargement, hardening, torpidity, of the Company, available for the produce enlargement, hardening, torpidity, of the Company, available for the purpose of and chronic inflammation of that organ. The Assured in

tion. The Journal culls the practice of "tipping" tindiscreet, and no donot in the eye of the law indiscreet, and no donot in the eye of the law it severely to be reprehended. It is as wrong to "tip" a summoning officer as it is to bribe ranked agreeable of pathful folling when lying on the law agreeable of pathful folling when lying on the law agreeable of pathful folling when lying on the left side; yellowness of the skin, eyes, and urine; bowels irrogular, loose or costive; red with the Again lated Funds in Hand, makes the invested resources of the Company opwards the invested resources of invested resources of the invested resources of the invested resources of invested resou be is justified in receiving a periodical black low and desponding state of mind; the nervous mail. He consults his own good in the first system much disturbed dismelination to apply We believe that no medicines, offered for the

and lastly, but chiefly, by thus taking a bribe gare of liver disease have ever had as extensive BRISTOL'S SUGAR-COATED PILLS

In the Western, Southern, and Pacific States of North America, in Usuada, in Central Americe, in Chile, Toru, Esuador, Bolivia, U. S. of Colombia, Argentino Confederation, Brazil, Venezuela, British West Indies, Cuba. Mexico, Australia, East Indies, Spain, and Portugal land. This remarkable instrument writes down they are well known and constantly used. in ordinary ink every flustuation of the electric Every month finds a large increase in their

LIVER AND BILIOUS DISEASES. oban's by the waving backwards and forwards constituting hearly three-quarters of all the of a little spot of light, leaving no trace of its is oknesses with which mankind suffer. The

> PODOPHYLIN AND LEPTANDRIN both simple vegetables, but both potent for controlling the liver-eleanming it of all slug gish secretions, and invigorating it to a state of bealthy and natural sotion. Full directions around each phial,

FOR SALE AT THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY "WHAT IS IT MADE OF?"

"WHAT MAKES IT SO LASTING?"

MIGNORETTE AND LAVENDER;

HONEYBUCKLE AND JASMINE are as plain as they can be." But to this also. our only reply is silence—premising here, humever, that if our great Perfume depended on any two single flowers; its breath would be line in war is a common incident enough, but poor indeed. "Yes, yes!" exclaimed a third;

ORANGE FLOWERS AND VIOLETS are to my sense of smell the marked and casil perceptible prevailing perfume in the Florida Water." Well, well, we will not be so rude as to contradict a lady (nearly all these queries are from the ladies), but we simply wouder they don't discover the soft and delicious fra-

LILIES AND MOST ROLES, or the rich perfume of the gorgeous Mugnolia. But the truth is, that the many floral extracts which enter jute the composition of the true MUBRAY & LIANHAN'S

FLOBIDA WATER WATER. There are others who offer for sale

LANMAN & KEMP, NEW YORK,

FOR SALE AT THE HONGEONG DISPENSARY Established in 1832.

BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA. IN QUART BOTTLES.

A TONIC ALTERATIVE AND DIET DRINK. ADAPTED TO

ALL SEASONS AND ALL CLIMATES AND ESPICIALLY NEEDFUL IN SPRING AND SUMMER.

Thirty years of practical experience have established the fame of BRISTOL'S SARSAPA RICLA as a STANDARD REMEDY for Scrofule and all Ulcerous and Eruptive Disorders, beyond the reach of competition. The world' knows that its effects in such maladies are, to ARREST SUPPURATION,

PRODUCE SOUND PLESH, ---COOL THE ANGEY SKIN. RESTORE THE SECRETIONS. INVIGORATE THE FRAME, PURITY ALL THE FLUIDS.

BRACE THE CONSTITUTION. But its operation is not limited to one class of distampers. As a general Corrective, Tonic, and Alterative, its importance is affirmed by the best medical talent of the age, and the sick and feeble everywhere place the fullest faith in its preventive and remedical properties. The value of the BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA, as an antidote to the complaints which prevail in Spring and Summer, cannot be overrated. During these seasons the human physique is subjected to severe trials. It requires form forcement, it domands help, in order to with stand the strain. We all know the debilitating

and dangerous tendency of CHANGES OF TEMPERATURE, UNWHOLESOME EXHALATIONS, INBALURRIOUS WINDS. LONG-CONTINUED HAINS, FIERCE, EXHAUSTIVE HEAT.

AN UNBEATTER SOIL, AND TY DELETERIOUS WATER.

In Spaine, Summen, and a portion of Ap UMW, the lives of thousands are in continual jeopardy from these projific sources of discase. The best safeguard, the surest defence against them, is BRISTOUS SARSAPARILLA. It should be used as a daily berorage or Digr DRIBE throughout the unbealthy season. Two tablespoonfuls, taken in a sumbler of water. three times a day, will impart a tone and vigor to the system; which will render it impervious to the disorders that usually result from the above-named causes.

FOR BALL AT THE HONGROUG DISPENSAR 20th August, 1870

insurances.

ROYAL INSUBANCE COMPANY SECURITY INSURANCE TRANSACTIONS.

THE Directors of the Royal Insurance Com-

Two MILLIONS STRULING. generally with a tender heart, who is willing to A sense of fulness and weight in the right. The amount actually paid up is £288,405. This, release his viotims for a promisery considera- side, with some enlargement and pain, par- with the Accumulated Funds in Hand, makes

Consols India Government 5 por cont Debentures English Railway Debenture Bonds. First class English Railway Proference and Quaranteed Stucks 335,476 11 Loans to Local Authorities of various towns in Great Britain, who have obtained the sanction

of the Sepretary of State to borrow the amountain desired Bonds of the Mersey Docks und Harbour Board..... Bonds of the British and Irish Magnotic Telegraph Co Bonds of the Liverpool Corporation. United & States . Government Stocke Cunada Bonda and Canada Dominion Stock Short Loans on first class English Dividend paying Stocks,

with margins from 20 to 50 per cent. on market values... 477,195 0 0 Louns on Security of Life Policies 63,938 8 5 £1.672,356 16 11 The above is a complete list of he Investments of the Company at the date specified, in addition to which the funds are still further increased, by amounts con-stantly varying, at different pe-riods, in the hands of the Ban-

kers and the Company's Agents.
At 31st Dec. 1868, these stood at £168,089. For the satisfaction of the Public, the whole nual Meeting :-

"The whole of your Books have been Audited every Document, every Account, every Voucher, your Bank-book, and every Security—all bave been most carefully kept, and there is not one doubtful Security in the whole." THE ACCUMULATIONS OF THE LIFE DEPART-

After payment of Losses, Annuities and Ex-Punds in Hand at the last Quinquennial Valuation, 31st Dec.,

Added to 31st December, 1885... 103,146 7 1866.... 124,165 1867.....128.583 5 10 1868... 144,945 12 2 Total Accumulation of the Life Department on 31st December. 1868, exclusive of Shareholders'
Capital....£1,122,275 8 1

The Directors also think it desirable to State that THE DUSINESS OF THE "ROYAL" THAS NEVER BEEN AMALGANATED WITH THAT OF ANY OTHER COMPANY. And that the LIABILITY of its Shureholders UNLIMITED.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agente -2173 Hongkong, 6th November, 1869. THE GUARDIAN FIRE AND LIFE AS-SURANCE COMPANY: No. 11, LOMBARD STREET, LONDON, E.C. ESTABLISHED 1821,

and empowered by special Acts of Parliament. Subscribed Capital - 22,000,000, Sterling. INE Undersigned having been duly appointed Agenta for the above Company, are prepared to take risks against Fire, on the usual

OLYPHANT & Co. tf 2317 Hongkong, 7th December, 1869. HAMBURG BREMEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

PROM and after this date the following rates wil be charged for SHORT PERIOD Not exceeding Ten days t of the annual rate Not exceeding I month 1 do execeding three months Sole Proprietors. Above 3 months, and not) exceeding six months ... Above six months the full annual rate.

WM. PUSTAU & Co., Agents. tf 1667 Hongkong, 30th August, 1869. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN BEDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. NTIL further, notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, class risk.

Detached & semi-detached Dwell-) ing Houses removed from town, per cent and their contents. Other dwelling Houses, used strict-1 ly us such, and their contents; Godowna, Offices, Shops, &c., and ? their contents. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agente Imperial Fire Insurance Company tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865, FORBES & Co.'s CONSTITUENTS INSU-RANGE COMPANY:

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned linving been appointed Agents for the above Companies, are pro pared to accept risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. if 399 Hongkong, 26th February, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILL INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE BATES OF PREMIUM. Detached & somi-detached Dwell per cent. per annum and their contents Otherdwelling Housequeed strictly) as such, and their contents. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and) 1 their contents.

GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantil Insurance Company, 11 886 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port. are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on Buildings, or on Goods GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf Hangkong, 24th August, 1864. AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. THE Undersigned baying been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Office, are prepared to accept MARINE Brans, and issue Policies on any First-class Sailing Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China, Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay or London.

ROBT, S. WALKER & Co., tf Honekong, 8th October, 1863 IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

RUR Insuring Houses and other Buildings Goods, Wares, Marchandise, Manufacturing and Parming Stock, Ships in Port, Har-bours, or Dock, and the Cargons of such Ships; also, Ships Building and Repairing | Burges and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and Canala, and Goods on board such Vessuls, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in Forbign Counteies, from 1.088 or Danage The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Pared to accept Marino Risks and issue Policies Mary Sange, arthur the state of \$50,000 on any one Pirst pared to accept Marino Risks and issue Policies Mary Sange, arthur there is a supposed to the state of \$50,000 on any one Pirst pared to accept Marino Risks and issue Policies Mary Sange, arthur there is a supposed to the state of \$60,000 on any one Pirst pared to accept Marino Risks and issue Policies Mary Sange, arthur there is a supposed to the state of \$60,000 on any one Pirst pared to accept Marino Risks and issue Policies Mary Sange, arthur the state of \$60,000 on any one Pirst pared to accept Marino Risks and issue Policies Mary Sange.

Class Risks To Hoom bles with the GIRB. DIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, lat January, 1847,

insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE. INCOMPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER DP RIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE TIRST. A.D. 1720. HEAD OFFICE IN LONDON

RICHARD BAGGALLAY, Enq.—Governor JAMES BLYTH, Enq.—Sub-Governor. EDWIN GOWER, Esq. - Donata Governor. DIRECTORS.

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The Conforation of the London As of Policies for Marine Assurance in India and BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE OHINA as under :-Bombay Mesers. EWART, LATHAM & Co., Madray Mesers. ARBUTHROT & Co. Calculta-Mesers, MACKILLOP, STEWART'& Co. Hongkong-Mesera Hollidar, Wish & Co. Shangkon-Mesera Hollidar, Wish & Co. Forchow .- Mesero Hollinar, Will & Co. Mauritus Mears BLYTH BROTHERS & Co. The undersigned are propared to issue Poli-cies of the Corronation of the London As-SURANCE, payable either here, in LONDON, at

any of the above-named Agencies, and also at Messra, DALGETE, BLACEWOOD & Co. Launceston, Taemania-Messry. Dv Croz. Nichols & Co. Hobart Tours-Mr. LAVINGTON ROOPE. Adelaide & Australia-Meisrs, Elden, Smith & Co. Sydney, New S. Wales-Mesers, Fanning, Grippitus & Co. Dunedin, Otago, New Zealand

Mesers. DALGETY, BATTRAY & Co. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 146 Hongkong, 21st January, 1868. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION LIFE ASSURANCES.

THE Undersigned are anthorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 1959. Hongkong, 15th October, 1868. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COM PANY OF MANOHESTER AND

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agenta for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 1958 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868.

CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Corporation are prepared to grant FIRE AND MARINE IN-SURANCE on the usual terms. HOLLIDAY, WISL & Co. tf 3025 Hongkong, 27th December, 1867. LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM

THE LONDON ASSURANCE

TRANSIT INSUBANCE OFFICE, 137, LEADENHALL STEBET, LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1843. THE Undersigned is anthorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Goods stored therein.

Class Steamers and Sailing Ships. W. MACAULAY, Agent. tf Hongkong, 1st July, 1867. NOTICE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE annual rates for Fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will remain as follows until further no-Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses (removed from) | per caut the town) and their contents.

Other Dwelling Houses (similarly.) situated) and their centents Offices and Godowns and their Other Ricks by Special arrangement. The following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD Policies: Not expeeding 10 days 4th per cent. Not exceeding I month | per cent Above I month, and not } 3

Above 3 months, and not? Above6months, the full annual rate of 1 ROBT. S. WALKER & Co., Agente, Royal Insurance Company tf 1763 Hongkong, 13th Feptember, 1869. HONGKONG INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company, are propared to issue Marine Policies on the usual terms to the extent of £10,000, on any first

tf 538 Hongkong, 17th March, 1869. NOTICE. TROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:

Not exceeding Ten days & of the annual rates Not exceeding 1 month a do. do. Above 1 month, and not } . exceeding three months. Above 3 months, and not exceeding six months.... Above six months the full annual fate.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co... Agents, Alliance Fire Asserance Company tf 678 Hongkong, 26th August, 1869. NOTICE.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. I ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged SHORT PERIOD In-Not exceeding Ten days I of the annual rate Not exceeding 1 month fof the annual rate Above I month, Y and not arceed-

and not exceed-Above 6 months the full annual rate, GIBB, LIVINGSTON A Cou. Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company, tf 675 Hongkong, 13th August, 1869. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY. IME Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for he above Company, are prepared to grant Marine risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. 1f-471 Hongkong, 6th March, 1868.

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